

SR/DOB/58/1078

4 March 1958

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, SR

ATTENTION : SR/COP/FI

SUBJECT : AECASSOWARY FI Operational Contacts, Transfer of

1. In view of the developments of the 21 February 1958 meeting with AECASSOWARY-2 (copy of contact report attached), and in accordance with the agreement reached between [redacted] of SR/DOB and [redacted] SR/COP/FI, it is recommended that all future contacts with the AECASSOWARY organization be made by SR3/W3. SR/DOB direct operational contact with AECASSOWARY-2 and his representatives would be reestablished only in the event a specific FI opportunity develops.

2. The presentation of an FI lead by the AECASSOWARY group will be acted upon by SR/DOB only upon receipt of such information from SR3/W3. If found promising, an independent project will be written. The termination of the project will automatically curtail any further contacts with the AECASSOWARY organization.

3. This decision is based on the fact that AECASSOWARY-2 has been unable (or unwilling) to produce a REDSOX agent candidate for Ukrainian operations during the past 9 months. He also has been unable (or unwilling) to spot candidates for the AEREDY program during the past year. It, therefore, appears that he has no immediate resources from which to draw. In view of the fact that SR/DOB activities must be directed at immediate target requirements, and because limited case officer personnel does not permit long-range developmental activities, it is necessary to devote all efforts toward the exploration of more immediate potential.

4. Project AECUPBOARD, the Ukrainian package program, will be discontinued since it is a developmental type project instituted with the AECASSOWARY organization to establish and maintain FI support facilities in the Ukrainian SSR.

5. A final contact with AECASSOWARY-2 will be effected to cancel the AECUPBOARD program and to inform him of the new operational contact procedures.

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Incl. - 1 (Copy of 21 February contact report)